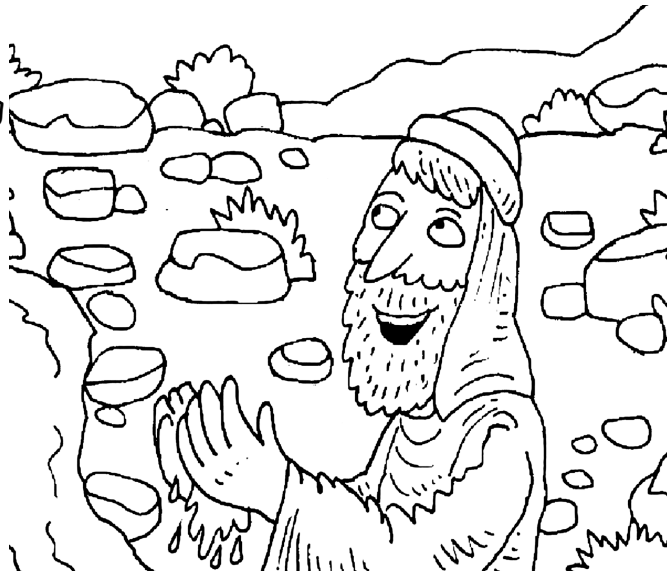


God promised Elijah that the crows would bring him food and it happened exactly like God said it would. God is faithful. This means that God always keeps his promises.



After that the crows brought Elijah meat and bread, every morning and every evening. And Elijah had enough water to drink from the river.

Elijah was so thankful to God for looking after him during this very difficult time.

God is so good!

We can also thank God everyday for our food.

This is a true story which comes from the Bible. You can read about it in 1 Kings 17 v 1-7.

There are more stories about Elijah.



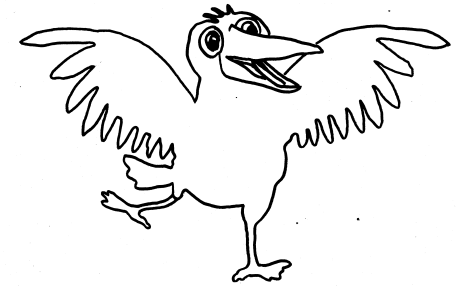
ELIJAH AND THE WIDOW'S MIRACLE
ELIJAH AND THE DEAD BOY WHO CAME ALIVE
ELIJAH PRAYED FOR RAIN

1 THE CROWS BROUGHT FOOD TO ELIJAH

There are so many kinds of birds. Big ones and small ones.



Can you think of a small bird? Like a Sparrow maybe? What about a BIG bird, like an eagle or an ostrich. They're really BIG! There are also birds with pretty colours, like parrots. Others are just plain black, like crows. Have you ever seen a crow?



Here is another picture. ➡

Crows are kind of funny birds, have you ever heard what sound they make? It's really funny, like squawking kind of sound. Birds all sing beautiful songs to their Creator - even the crows.



I want to tell you a story about crows and a prophet called Elijah. A prophet is God's messenger.

It happened long ago in a land called Israel. In those days most people grew their own vegetables and had their own animals. There was a drought in the land. That means that there was no rain for such a long time that the land was very dry. The plants started to die and the animals had almost no more food.



They had a king, called Ahab, who did evil things and made God's heart very sad. They didn't want to stop doing evil things even though they had many warnings. God gave Elijah this message for king Ahab.

"King Ahab, there is not going to be any rain for the next 3 years, until I say so."

The king was very angry with Elijah. God wanted to protect Elijah, so He said :



"Elijah, go and hide in the field, near the small river, Cherith. I have told the crows to bring food to you everyday."



And that is exactly what happened! The first morning, when Elijah woke up, he saw some crows with meat and bread! Oh he was so happy ! He cooked the meat and had a delicious big breakfast.

What do you do when you get hungry?



Elijah had no food and just as he started getting hungry again that evening, he heard the same squawking noises which crows make. He looked up and saw the crows bringing him some more meat and bread! Oh, Elijah was so amazed. He cooked his meat again and before he ate, he prayed and said thank you to God.